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Applicant : John T. Mariner, et al.  
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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL UNDER RULE 1.116**

Sir:

In response to the Office action of May 27, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 8 of this paper.

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